



303 –LANGUAGE TEXT IDENTIFICATION

TEAM INFORMATION

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Examination Time Frame:

to 10/31/08

INSTRUCTIONS

Description: Examiners must develop and document a methodology used to identify the language presented in the documents in the **303_Language_Text_Identification_Challenge2008**.

Report the detailed explanation of your process (software or technique) used to determine the language and document information.

Total Weighted Points: 60 Total Points available per entry – Total 300 Points Available

1. **Answers** – Fill in the chart below with your findings. *As a Forensic Challenge, consider that your answers will have to have enough detail for the Findings and Methodology of your examination to satisfy questioning in a court of law.*
2. **Methodology** – Provide a meticulously detailed explanation of your process. Be sure to include a step action that our reviewers can follow to reproduce your work for authenticity including tools and techniques.

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Reviewer:

Points Awarded:

Date:

Review Period:

to

Completed: ☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ Partial

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REPORT OF EXAMINATION

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The following is a list of the documents and the language of the text in each document.

File name	Original Language
Document1Tx	Chinese (traditional)
Document2Tx	Russian
Document3Tx	Korean
Document4Tx	Arabic
Document5Tx	Japanese

Analysis can be found on the following "Methodology" page.

METHODOLOGY / NOTES FORM

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Date / Time	Notes
19-Oct-08 12:00 pm	<p>Develop and document a methodology used to identify the language presented in the documents in the 303 Language Text Identification Challenge2008</p> <p>Tools used: Yahoo Babelfish (babelfish.yahoo.com) and Google Translation (translate.google.com)</p> <p>We made a visual review of each document to identify the language it was written in. Our team members have experience in recognizing various languages by sight and were able to make an initial identification of each of the languages in the documents.</p> <p>This was further verified using online translation tools. Yahoo BabelFish was used - babelfish.yahoo.com. and also translate.google.com</p> <p>Portions of the text were put in the translation tools to verify that they could be translated from the language identified into English.</p> <p>The following is a list of the documents and the language of the text in each document.</p> <p>Document1Tx = Chinese (<i>traditional</i>) Document2Tx = Russian Document3Tx = Korean Document4Tx = Arabic Document5Tx = Japanese</p>